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1. <sup>a</sup> A urine collection device comprising:  
a specimen container body having an inner wall and an outer wall,  
wherein the inner wall and the outer wall define a collection cavity, a fluid collection and  
retrieval opening, and a rim;

a handle having a first body member and a second body member, the first  
body member having a first contact member which, in turn, has a first contact surface and  
an inner surface, and the second body member having a second contact member having a  
second contact surface and an outer surface,

wherein the first contact surface engages the inner wall of the specimen  
container body, and the second contact surface engages the outer wall of the specimen  
container, removably securing the handle to the specimen container body.

2. A method of collecting urine comprising the steps of:

a) positioning the first contact member of the first body member  
adjacent to the rim formed by the specimen container body, with the first contact member  
protruding into the collection cavity and the first contact surface facing the inner wall of  
the specimen container body;

b) positioning the second contact member of the second body  
member adjacent to the rim formed by the specimen container body, with the second  
contact surface of the second contact member facing the outer wall of the specimen  
container body;

c) securing the handle to the rim of the specimen container body,  
such as by moving the second body member in a first direction until the first contact  
surface of the first contact member engages the inner wall of the specimen container  
body, and the second contact surface of the second contact member engages the outer  
wall of the specimen container body; and

d) removing the handle, such as by moving the second body member  
in a second, opposite direction.

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